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## To New GVRA Employees:

Welcome to the Georgia Vocational Rehabilitation Agency (GVRA). You are joining one of the newest agencies in the State of Georgia, dedicated to improving the lives of persons with disabilities. GVRA employees work throughout the state to administer vocational and rehabilitation services to the citizens of Georgia.

GVRA employees are committed to their work, to each other, and to the people we serve. We are gratified you have chosen to join this excellent workforce. You will be challenged, but will see first-hand how you can help improve the lives of your fellow citizens.

My job, as Executive Director, is to create an environment and infrastructure that supports the work you have come on board to do. I seek to unify the agency across all its programs and offices so that we move forward with a common purpose to serve those we help. I am committed to GVRA being an agency that implements the vision of the Governor, works well with other state agencies, and is open and responsive to state and federal legislators.

We have a first class staff ready and able to assist you in getting started and developing your skills to maximize your value to the agency and your career. I also encourage you to become familiar with our policies and procedures.

Once again, welcome to GVRA. We are glad to have you as a part of our team.

Sincerely,

Greg Schmieg
Executive Director